OCLE Seminars

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Seminar Code: CR100308

Strategy and Evidence in Child Protection Cases

Juvenile Law Track

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

(Registration at 8:30 a.m.)

Location: CBA Law Center, New Britain, CT

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Cost: \$145 Member, \$225 Non-member

\$75 Law Student (on a space-available basis)

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CLE Credit: 4.0 Hours

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About the Program

The program will cover: forming a theory of the case, employing discovery in juvenile matters, using mental rhealth and interactional evaluations, presenting evidence to support your theory, and challenging inadmissible proffers by the state. This course is designed to be taken with "The DCF Treatment Plan and Specific Steps," scheduled for October 10, 2008.

Faculty and Speakers

Program Chair:

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Program Schedule

- 9:00 Theory of the Case
- 9:45 Mental Health Evaluations
- 11:00 Break
- 11:30 Rules of Evidence
- 12:00 Presenting Your Evidence
- 12:45 Objecting to Inadmissible Evidence

Who Should Attend

Attorneys who currently or may potentially practice in juvenile court representing clients in child protection cases.

This seminar is appropriate for both newly-admitted and experienced attorneys.

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